

# Barrington Risk and Protective Survey

October 2009

## Summary

The Survey was administered in March 2009. The data will be utilized by The BAY Team for progress monitoring, prevention education and awareness, social marketing campaigns, policy initiatives, and other strategies that promote protective factors and diminish risk factors for substance abuse in the community. A full report will be available online at [www.thebayteam.org](http://www.thebayteam.org)

Total number surveyed:      Barrington Middle School: 715  
Barrington High School: 904

Grades surveyed:      6-12

Gender:      51% female, 49% male

30-day substance use:

<b>Grade/School</b>	<b>Alcohol</b>	<b>Marijuana</b>	<b>Prescription drugs</b>
6	1%	1%	4%
7	3%	0	4%
8	11%	4%	5%
<b>Barrington Middle School (overall)</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>5%</b>
9	15%	9%	11%
10	27%	18%	11%
11	28%	28%	12%
12	51%	44%	18%
<b>Barrington High School (overall)</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>13%</b>

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Perceived risk of harm from regular alcohol use – percentage of students who perceive the risk of harm from drinking 1-2 drinks each day is of moderate to great risk:

Barrington Middle School: 89%

Barrington High School: 79%

Perceived parental approval of regular alcohol use – percentage of students who perceive their parents feel it is very wrong for them to use alcohol regularly:

Barrington Middle School: 92%

Barrington High School: 73%

Percentage of students who know at least one adult who has gotten drunk or high in the past year:

All students combined: 52%



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